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1. EMBOFF MET WITH MR. D'ANGELO, DIRECTOR GENERAL, NAVIGATION AND

MARITIME TRAFFIC, MINISTRY OF MERCHANT MARINE, TO DISCUSS GOI'S REACTION TO RECENTLY ENACTED PHILIPPINE FLAG DISCRIMINATION LAWS AS OUTLINED IN REFTEL. D'ANGELO ADVISED THAT ITALY HAS ALWAYS ADHERED STRICTLY TO A "LAISSER-FAIRE" INTERNATIONAL SHIPPING POLICY AND IS THEREFORE STRONGLY OPPOSED TO ANY LAWS, REGULATIONS OR PRACTICES WHICH INFRANCE UPON THE PRINCIPLE OF FREE TRADE.

2. D'ANGELO SAID MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS HAD ACCORDINGLY BEEN REQUESTED TO INSTRUCT ITALIAN EMBASSY? MANILA, TO REGISTER A VIGOROUS PROTEST WITH THE PHILIPPINE GOVERNMENT. BEAUDRY

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